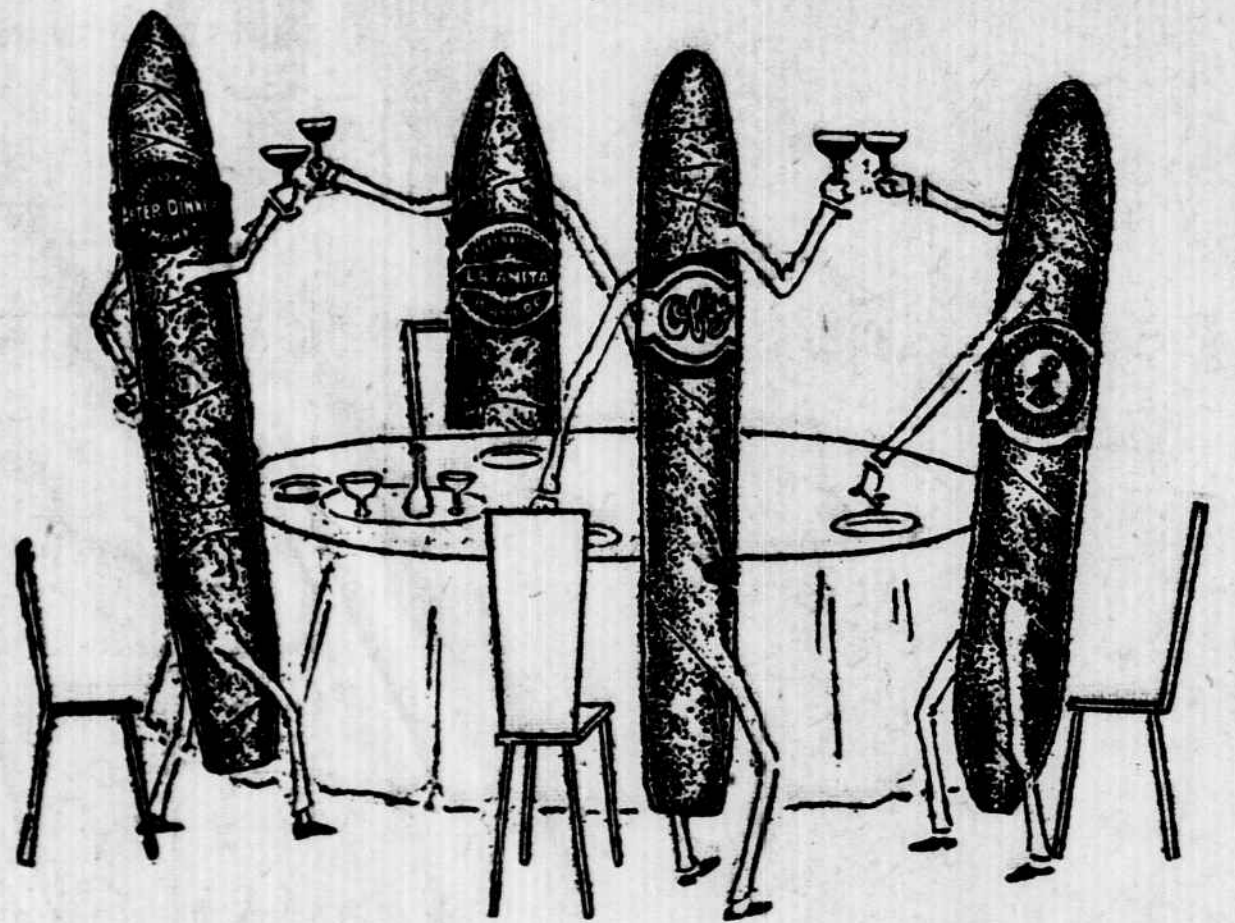


After-Dinner La Anita Ofty Deer Head



"Here's to the cigars that Ofterdinger makes!"

"Here's to La Anita, Deer Head, Ofty and After-Dinner!"

"And here's to the man who smokes them!"

SEASON IS CLOSED

Commercial League Finishes
Its Schedule of Games.

LIST OF PRIZE WINNERS

Eddie Houser High Average Man,
While Stars Boast Best
Team Mark.

Prize winners in the Commercial Duckpin League were announced at a meeting of that body at the Palace alleys Friday night, at which time the William Hahn team was officially declared the winners for the season of 1912-13. Eddie Houser finished top of the regular season, with Woodward & Lotrop and Chapin & Sacks the other two teams to finish in the money. The race in the commercial body was the closest in its history, a seven-way battle, with Hahn, Woodward & Lotrop and Chapin & Sacks each taking turns in leading the league. Hahn won out in the last night of the regular season, when it won three games from National Electrical Supply Company. This latter team had only four men on the alley in this set, and Hahn were easy winners.

Eddie Houser led the league in individual work, with the excellent average of 103-96 for eight-one games. Schofield was second and Dave McCarthy third. Each of these bowlers received money prizes. Vogelberger was high in spares and Geler in strikes, while Hughes was awarded the high game prize and Rodier received the one for high set.

The Star's 576 game was the highest for a team, while Hahn and the last set. First, second and third men on each team were also awarded money prizes.

Official averages for all games rolled during the year follow:

Standing of Teams.

Wm. Hahn & Co.	G.	W.	L.	Pct.	Avg.
Wm. Hahn & Co.	81	61	20	.753	434.23
Woodward & Lotrop	81	59	22	.728	436.38
Chapin & Sacks	81	57	24	.704	437.32
General Baking Co.	81	47	34	.580	430.36
National Laundry	81	45	36	.557	428.32
Judd & Dettweiler	81	43	38	.530	445.39
Wash. Tobacco Co.	81	42	39	.519	445.39
Rodier & West	78	23	55	.294	422.42
Hughes & West	78	22	56	.282	433.61

Individual Averages.

WM. HAHN & CO.	G.	W.	L.	Pct.	Avg.
Schofield	81	8,590	24	.851	103.96
Vogelberger	81	8,220	18	.815	101.39
Rodier	81	8,190	22	.785	101.39
Chapin	81	8,120	25	.763	98.83
Geler	81	8,090	25	.763	97.43
H. Hahn	81	8,080	25	.763	97.43
McCarthy	81	7,960	26	.752	96.27
Max	81	7,960	26	.752	96.27
Friedman	81	7,960	26	.752	96.27

WOODWARD & LOTROP.

WOODWARD & LOTROP.	G.	W.	L.	Pct.	Avg.
Johnson	75	7,567	17	.812	100.67
Tramont	75	7,547	18	.806	100.67
Holliday	75	7,517	22	.763	98.73
Ward	75	7,502	21	.786	98.83
Loyd	75	7,492	22	.770	98.83
P. C. Riston	75	7,480	23	.763	98.24
Drager	75	7,392	24	.752	96.99
Maddox	75	7,380	25	.740	96.99
Koons	75	7,380	25	.740	96.99
Ward	75	7,380	25	.740	96.99

CHAPIN & SACKS.

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Houser	81	8,400	27	.753	101.06
Johnson	81	8,340	28	.746	101.06
Stimpson	81	7,814	24	.763	96.99
Morris	81	7,782	25	.752	96.99
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CAN'T BEAT GOULD

For Eighth Consecutive Year
Jay Wins Court Tennis Title.

DEFEATS CRANE IN 3 SETS

First Set Was Hard Fought, But
Second and Third Were
One-Sided.

BOSTON, April 12.—For the eighth consecutive year Jay Gould of Lakewood, N. J., successfully defended his title to the national amateur court tennis championship by defeating Joshua Crane of Boston, a former champion, today. The scores were 6-4, 6-0 and 6-2.

Crane gave the champion a hard tussle in the first set, but in the second and third Gould scored point after point in rapid succession.

The champion was nervous and complained of a slight illness, but he won the first game after deuce had been called four times. In the next game Gould showed in better form, and also won the third game, another deuce.

After two games had been played it looked as if Crane was to give the title holder a hard battle. The next three games, however, went to Gould, who netted many points by drives to the deuce and grill. Crane then took the tenth and deciding game, allowing only one point.

The second set was a clean sweep for Gould, the challenger offering real competition only in the last game. In the third set Crane showed in better form, although he could not cope with the brilliant play of the champion. In this set he lost many points by driving into the net, the champion allowing him to defeat himself. Crane won the second set 4-2 and the third 6-4, after which remaining games, the seventh, going to 3, Allen Evans, one of the Merion Cricket Club of Philadelphia contingent, working a sensational reversal by defeating King Smith, the former Harvard star, in the singles, 6-4, 6-4. Russell C. Gates, who has for three years held a high place on Yale's teams, likewise smothered C. C. Rossie, 6-1, 6-1. These were the most notable victories for the collegians in the singles. In the doubles Edwin W. Peaslee and T. Stanley, the former one of Yale's dependable veterans, defeated L. H. Fitch and J. J. Koen, 6-3, 6-1.

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